

Senor de la Barra Visits President

MEXICAN AMBASSADOR CALLS
TO SAY GOOD-BYE.

SECRETARY OF THE NAVY

Talks With the President Regarding
the Latter's Trip to Panama in No-
vember—Hatteras to Be Avoided.

dial in his greetings and apparently enjoyed the informal chat which followed. The call was of a personal nature and the only diplomatic significance attached to it was the exchange of cordial expression of good will.

Message to President Diaz.

It is understood that the president sent a message of felicitation to President Diaz, whom he met and exchanged visits with at El Paso and Ciudad Juarez last October.

The President's Trip to Panama.

Secretary of the Navy Meyer paid a brief call at Burgess Point this afternoon and had a preliminary talk with the president regarding his trip to Panama in November. Details of the trip are to be arranged later. It seems to be settled however, that the president will sail from Charleston, thus avoiding the treacherous waters around Cape Hatteras.

A. A. Rowe, representing several

organizations of railway trainmen, talked with the president regarding safety appliances and other matters of labor legislation which, it is believed the president will recommend to congress in his coming message

**C. T. A. U. NATIONAL
CONVENTION AT BOSTON.**

Implication That Abolishment of the Canteen Was a Mistake.

Boston, Aug. 11.—Although he did not directly advocate the re-establishment of the army canteen, Rev. Father George J. Waring, chaplain of the Eleventh cavalry, U. S. A., implied that its abolishment was a mistake, in an address before the national convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence union.

here today. In the course of his address, which was one of the leading features of the day, Mr. Waring defended the reputation of the army man and declared that the soldier was driven to drink largely by the fact that he was practically barred from high class places of amusement and resort.

Rev. Father Walter J. Shanley of Danbury, Conn., former president of the national union, advocated political activity on the part of members of the union for the purpose of securing the repeal of the liquor traffic and to combat the political work of the liquor interests, whose power in elections and executive bodies he denounced as "a foul blot on our boasted civilization."

**WILL SERIOUSLY AFFECT
AMERICA'S TRADE WITH JAPAN.**
New Japanese Tariff Law Which Goes
Into Effect July 17, 1911.

Washington, Aug. 11.—American trade with Japan may be seriously affected, in part, at least, after July 17, next year, on which date the duties in the new Japanese tariff law will go into effect. This was the fear expressed in a statement made today by the state department in which are detailed the most important changes which will be made by the new tariff

law, unless reciprocal tariff changes are made by the two countries before the date in question, a number of important articles of export from the United States which now enjoy low rates under the present conventional Japanese tariff will have to pay considerably increased rates under the statutory tariff.

MOVE IN CHARLTON CASE.
Italian Vice Consul Causes Hearing
Postponement to Sept. 20.

New York, Aug. 11.—A move was made today in behalf of the Italian government in the case of Porter Charlton, who confessed to having

The hearing set for today went over by agreement until Sept. 20. Gustave di Roma, the Italian vice consul in New York, appeared before Supreme Court Justice Blair in Jersey City and pled with the justice the dossier in Charlton's case.

FIREMAN NOBLEMAN DEAD.
Eighth Earl of Egmont, Who Had a
Checked Career.

London, Aug. 11.—Augustus Arthur Percival, eighth Earl of Egmont, died today. He was born in 1856. Before

succeeding to the title of the Earl of
 Egmont he was in such financial
 straits that for several years he earned
 his living as a member of a London fire
 brigade. He was the caretaker of the
 Chelsea town hall when the death of
 a distant cousin gave him the earldom.
 In 1881 he married Kate, the daughter
 of Warwick Howell, of South Caro-
 lina.

JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY ILL.
Poet Said to Be Suffering from a
Form of Paralysis.

Indianapolis, August 11.—James
Whitcomb Riley, the "Hoosier poet,"
is seriously ill at his home in this
city.

tion. He was able to sit up only a few minutes to-day. Mr. Riley, who is said to be suffering from a mild form of paralysis, has not been able to leave his home for several weeks, but his condition has not been regarded as critical until recently.

Head-On Collision, One Passenger Killed.

Columbus, O., Aug. 11.—In a head-on collision late this afternoon between two cars of the Lancaster division of the Scioto Valley Traction company, one passenger, Charles Crabbaugh, was killed outright and several severely injured.

Died at Age of 115.

Durham, N. C., Aug. 11.—Turner Browning, who had lived in perfect health for 115 years, died today on a farm six miles from this city. He had full recollection of the second war between the United States and Great Britain and childhood recollections of Washington, Adame, Madison and Jefferson. He was born in 1795.